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Women's Kangaroo and White Bros. Box Calf Lace Shoes, made in the latest shapes and as well-fitting a shoe as money will buy.



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COUNTY OFFICIAL OFF FOR THE NORTH

Surveyor Edward Bartl Leaves Tomorrow for the Gold Fields.

EXPERT FOR NEW YORK COMPANY

Will Prospect for Gold in the Country This Side of the Klondike in the Canadian Possessions—Company Has Commercial as Well as Mining Aims—Will Hore for Coal in the Vicinity of Dawson City.

Another prominent Scrantonian is bound for the northern gold fields. This time it is County Surveyor Edmund Bartl. He will start tomorrow and expects to be absent until next fall.

Mr. Bartl goes in the capacity of surveyor and metallurgist for the National Klondike Trading and Mining Company, of New York. This company does not propose to make the Klondike proper its field of operations, but rather to stake and develop claims and establish trading posts at the uppermost part of the Hudson Bay company's route, in the Canadian possessions.

The prospecting party which the National company sends out will consist of three men, Mr. Bartl and the company's president and secretary. They will spend the summer in looking over the ground and return in the fall to make report of what is best to be done.

The party will start on Saturday next from New York city and will go by way of the Canadian Pacific to Edmonton, the northernmost point of the road. Then they will follow the Hudson Bay company's route along the east side of the Rockies to Fort St. John, where they will strike the trail to the left and head northwest about 400 miles through the mountains.

One of the party's equipments will be an aluminum house, that can be put up or taken apart in ten minutes. It weighs only 120 pounds, yet six men can swing hammocks within it. One of the prospectors is to bore for coal when they get within easy distance of Dawson city. There is plenty of coal there, Mr. Bartl believes, and if it can be mined without any great expense will be quite as valuable as gold.

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FAREWELL BANQUET.

Last night the active singers of the Liederkreis, of whom Mr. Bartl is one, tendered him a farewell banquet in the Liederkreis quarters in Music hall.

The Delaware and Hudson company paid yesterday the Nineteen branch employees and at the Clinton colliery, Forest city.

Dr. S. P. Longstreet yesterday added to his private hospital a new operating table of a patent design and fine material construction.

A piece of coal, flying, struck John R. Griffiths in the eye while he was at work in the Taylor mine yesterday and as a result he is at the Moses Taylor hospital. The injury, it is thought, will not be permanent.

Twenty-three deaths from all causes were reported last week to the board of health; one was from croup and one from diphtheria. Seven new cases of diphtheria and one of scarlet fever were reported.

Captain and Mrs. Hoppes wish to say in The Tribune that they are very thankful to Mrs. H. M. Boles, Mrs. A. E. Hunt, Mrs. F. J. Platt, Mrs. A. B. Blair and Everett Bros. for their kindness in sending groceries as well as the canned fruit on Saturday, Feb. 12.

At next Monday night's regular monthly meeting of the board of trade, Luther Keller, the recently elected president, will announce the committees for 1898. Mr. Keller will address the members, outlining his views on what should be the future policy of the board.

Edward Goodwin, a carpenter, injured his back yesterday morning in a fall from a scaffold at the house of Mrs. O'Brien & Kelly on Madison avenue. A physician was called to attend him and he was removed to his home, 102 West Lackawanna street.

Misses Honnie and Jessie Ripple will conduct a photographic entertainment at the Young Women's Christian association rooms this evening at 7:45 o'clock. Professor Haydn Evans will give a noonday musicale at the Young Women's Christian association rooms on Wednesday at 12:15 p. m., to which all are cordially invited to attend.

A meeting of the Scranton Baptist Pastors' union was held yesterday morning in the Penn Avenue Baptist church. Papers were read by Rev. J. A. Ellis, Foster U. Gift and W. J. Ford. It had been incorrectly announced that Rev. Dr. Joseph K. Dixon would read a paper on municipal reform. The paper is to be read at next Monday's meeting.

The Tribune desires to express its unqualified regret for the tone of an article which appeared in its issue yesterday in reference to the sudden death on Sunday of Miss Margaret Gilmore at the residence of her cousin, Mrs. Emerson A. Highfield, of 624 Mill street. So far as we know there was no reason whatever to question even by inference the accuracy of Dr. Everhart's diagnosis in this case, and we therefore wish voluntarily to set right both the doctor and the memory of the young lady.

Michael J. Neary and Kate E. Ruddy, of Scranton; John J. Burke and Nellie M. Doherty, of Scranton; Michael C. McGuire and Margaret Messert, of Scranton; Charles McCarty and Katie McDonough, of Dunmore; James Trotter and Rebecca Chesterfield, of Mayfield; Dominick Judge and Katie King, of Carbondale; Frank Southard, of Scranton; and Bessie Shugart, of Reading; Morris Owens and Margaret Thomas, of Avoca, were granted marriage licenses yesterday.

20c FOR Fresh Laid 15c FOR Fancy Cooler Eggs THE SCRANTON CASH STORE

OVERSEERS OF TODAY'S ELECTION

They Were Appointed Yesterday to Represent Both Parties.

VACANCIES ON ELECTION BOARDS

R. T. Black Named as Judge of Election in the Second District of the Eighth Ward—Patrick Lowery Will Be Majority Inspector in the South District of Lackawanna Township. Some of the Other Appointments Made.

Overseers and election board officers to fill vacancies were yesterday appointed by court. The following Republican overseers were named:

SCRANTON. First ward—Thomas Davies, Fred Moran, Adolph Longmar, Elijah Piler, Lee Hall. Second ward—Thomas Mills, John Van Borgan, John Edman, Joseph Birtley, Joseph Maloney. Third ward—Patrick Moran, G. S. Decker. Fourth ward—Howell Phillips. Sixth ward—Adam L. Bonn, John Horn, Henry W. Evans. Seventh ward—August Peuster, Jr., John Adam, Herman Hagen. Eleventh ward—Emil Bonn, W. C. Schiffer. Thirteenth ward—George Martin. Fourteenth ward—Reese Pritchard, F. W. Mansfield. Eighteenth ward—John C. Jones, John Clark. Nineteenth ward—Jacob Mautz, Henry Weber, Michael Hughes, W. J. Campbell. Twentieth ward—Julian Cooper, Charles Kloss, James Shotton, Lewis J. Richards. Twenty-first ward—John L. Payne, Martin Joyce.

The Democratic appointees are as follows: First ward—Richard Shorelin, John Soffin, Michael Hughes, W. J. Campbell. Second ward—M. J. Gerrity, A. H. Ruddy, M. J. Walsh, John Salman, John McAndrews. Third ward—John Flynn, Thomas Mulherin. Fourth ward—P. M. Rohan, Patrick Walsh, Michael Heibura, C. D. McDermod. Fifth ward—Patrick Gallagher, Michael Rainey, Thomas Glennan, Michael McHugh. Sixth ward—John White, Joseph Durrey, John Ward. Seventh ward—John J. Lally, Patrick Scanlon, John W. McLean. Eighth ward—Thomas Conroy, T. P. Kilgallon. Ninth ward—F. J. McAndrews, T. P. McAndrews. Tenth ward—William Bambock, Christian Tower. Eleventh ward—Michael Kramer, Charles Wirth, Michael Hughes. Twelfth ward—John P. Quinnan, C. S. Donovan. Thirteenth ward—Stephen O'Hara, John McLaughlin, Luke Nolan. Fourteenth ward—Joseph E. Donnelly, Michael Flynn. Fifteenth ward—John Mack, James Graham. Sixteenth ward—Theodore Fahrenholt, A. J. Howley. Seventeenth ward—D. J. Reedy, P. W. Stokes. Nineteenth ward—Thomas Needham, Andrew Conway, Richard Sheridan. Twentieth ward—John E. Coyne, Thomas Smith, P. J. McDonnell, James Reilly. Twenty-first ward—Edward Cawley.

For districts outside the city the following overseers were named: DICKSON CITY BOROUGH. First ward—Henry B. Jones, James Mulderig. Second ward—John Eley, George Ries. Third ward—Charles D. Snyder, James Dalton. OLYMPIANT BOROUGH. First ward—P. J. McNally, Edward Culligan. Second ward—W. R. Edwards, John J. McAndrews. Third ward, First district—James Winstone, John J. Lemon. Fourth ward—J. B. Williams, Francis Kennedy. CARBONDALE TOWNSHIP. North-west district—James P. Quinn, Jr., Bert Hudson. LACKAWANNA TOWNSHIP. South district—Patrick O'Neill. South-west district—Patrick Mulderig. West district—Luke Nolan. OLD FORGE TOWNSHIP. First district—F. R. Coyne, Salvatore Bianco. ARCHBALD BOROUGH. First ward, First district—H. C. Linderman. First ward, Second district—John Thomas, John F. Boland. WINTON BOROUGH. Second ward—Thomas Woods, John Maloney. MAYFIELD BOROUGH. Alexander Shotts. THROOP BOROUGH. Oliver Pratt. TO FILL VACANCIES. R. T. Black, judge of election in the Second district, Eighth ward, to succeed

John R. Jones, who is serving on the jury in common pleas. Patrick Lowery, majority inspector, South district, Lackawanna township. Edwin S. Durkin, inspector, Second district, Twenty-second ward. James Dwyer, majority inspector, First district, Sixth ward, Scranton. James Doyle, judge, First district, Sixth ward, Scranton. M. J. Walsh, minority inspector, Third district, Second ward, Scranton. Clark Lowry, majority inspector, Third district, Ninth ward, Scranton. John D. Phillips, judge of election, Fourth district, Fifth ward.

From Every View Point. In traveling, the four most important points to be considered are safety, punctuality of service, comfort and speed. The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway combines them all. Its road-bed and equipment surpass those of any other railway in America. And the fact that the United States Government has selected this road for the fast mail trains proves that punctuality and speed are part of its daily routine.

If you contemplate a trip between Buffalo and Cleveland, Toledo, Chicago, or points in the West and South-west, be sure and travel over the Lake Shore.

Heart Rescue in 30 Minutes. After momentarily expecting for years that death might snap the vital cord at any minute. This is the story thousands could tell and have told of the almost divine formula, Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. Every day chronicles the taking away of many who have not heeded nature's warnings that the heart was tired out and needed the helping that this wonderful cure gives. Heart disorders are insidious. Don't trifle. This great remedy attacks the disease instantly. Sold by Matthews Bros. and W. T. Clark.—41.

SCROPULA is the advertisement of foul blood. It may be entirely driven from the system by the faithful use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purifies the blood.

HOOD'S PILLS are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness, 25c.

Delightfully refreshing and healthy is Suchard's Cocoa. Try a cup at the Pure Food Show.

Over 700 Pieces of silver plated table ware sold yesterday. Some don't understand why the prices are so low. Just this: The Rogers people each year make new patterns. We bought certain discontinued numbers, 5780 pieces.

Some Prices. Rogers 14-47 knives, \$1.25 set. Rogers teaspoons, 40c set. Rogers tablespoons, 75c set.

400 more Windsor steel teaspoons, 2c each, on sale today.

Solid Silver—a little lot joins the go-out procession: Orange spoons, 75c; souvenir spoons, 25c; sugar spoons, 75c. Lots move, too.

THE REXFORD CO., 303 Lacka. Ave.

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Meeting of Board of Control Ended After Pay Roll Was Approved.

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The exigencies of the campaign and a willingness of some of the controllers to be left out of a debate on boiler insurance and alleged high rates for water, caused last night's meeting of the board of control to come to a sudden termination, owing to the lack of a quorum.

When the roll was called Messrs. Shires, Francois, O'Malley, Carson, Casey, Devaney, Welsh, Conrad, Walsh, Schriefer, Barker, Notz and Jennings were present. Messrs. Francois, Schriefer and Barker disappeared after the January pay roll of teachers and substitutes had been approved, leaving eleven members, or just a quorum, present. Mr. Shires took his departure a moment later and after an unsuccessful hunt through the corridors for the one member necessary to make a quorum, the meeting adjourned.

According to a motion made early in the session the adjournment was to next Tuesday night, when the meeting will be for reorganization and general business.

The insurance committee was to have made a report recommending the award of a boiler insurance contract through the agency of C. G. Boland & Co. Three other bidders had stirred up a contest and caused a minority report to be prepared on the ground that the Boland bid had been submitted direct to the committee and not in the regular way through the board.

The approved pay roll of teachers and substitutes for January amounted to \$15,166.44.

A letter was received from Adjutant W. S. Jones, of Lieutenant Ezra S. Griffin post, Grand Army of the Republic, consenting to act jointly with the board in the flag-raising at No. 6 school. The ceremony was scheduled for 6 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon, Washington's birthday.

After the bills approved by the supply committee had been ordered paid, the session was obliged to terminate.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Annie V. Everhart, wife of Dr. I. P. Everhart, died at her home on Franklin avenue after a painful illness of many weeks' duration. Mrs. Everhart was born in 1847 and until a few weeks ago possessed of exceptionally good health, but a series of distressing family afflictions caused a great shock to her nervous system and the beginning of what proved to be a fatal malady made up of a complication of disorders. It will be remembered that last May, James Everhart, whose home was in the city, died of a fatal malady made up of a complication of disorders. It will be remembered that last May, James Everhart, whose home was in the city, died of a fatal malady made up of a complication of disorders. It will be remembered that last May, James Everhart, whose home was in the city, died of a fatal malady made up of a complication of disorders.

Her home is now a desolate place from which she departed this light and comfort. She leaves a husband and a son to miss her ever in the dear familiar places where she made sunshine and gladness. All over the city may be found those who mourn the end of a lovely life on earth lived for others.

The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon from St. Luke's church. Interment will be made in Dunmore cemetery.

Mrs. Timothy O'Connor, a respected resident of Archbald, died at her home on Pine street, in that borough at 5 o'clock Sunday morning. Mrs. O'Connor had been sick for only a few days and the announcement of her death was a surprise and a shock to her many acquaintances. The deceased had been a resident of Archbald for upwards of thirty years and she was held in the sincerest respect by every one. She was the mother of Miss Sarah O'Connor, a teacher in the Archbald public school; Miss Alice and Bridget O'Connor; and Misses James Grogan, all of Archbald; Mrs. Roger Quinnan, of Moores; Sister Calisto, of St. Patrick's convent, Hyde Park; and Miss Katie O'Connor, of New York.

Mrs. O'Connor was a fervent Christian, a good mother and a kind-hearted and charitable neighbor. Her funeral will take place on Wednesday morning, a high mass of requiem will be sung in St. Thomas' church, in Dunmore, in which she was made in the Catholic cemetery.

James Haggerty, head stableman for Clark Brothers, of the West Side, died last Tuesday afternoon at his home, 323 Elm street. He was formerly head stableman for the Casey & Kelly Brewing company. He was years old and married, but leaves no children. His mother, Mrs. Patrick Haggerty, is living, as are two brothers and one sister.

Mrs. Ellen Manley died yesterday at her home, 117 Maple street, South Scranton. Mrs. Manley had been ill for a long time. She is survived by two sons and two daughters, Ellen Manley, Mrs. W. G. Langan, Peter Manley and J. J. Manley. The funeral announcement will be made later.

Wash Silks.

All silk stripes and checks for 29c. 22-inch Black Satin Duchess 79c. 24-inch Black Satin Duchess 95c. 27-inch Black Satin Duchess \$1.13. \$1.00 Silk Laced Velvets for 59c.

Dress Goods.

75 c. Fine 50-inch German Serges 48c. 50c. Fine 40-inch Henrietta 35c. 38c. Fine 36-inch Serges and Henriettas 29c. 40-inch Black Silk Finish Mohairs 48c. 40-inch Figured Mohair 38c.

CASTORA For Infants and Children.

LOOK--NEW GOODS. Splendid assortment of fancy silks just opened, the 85c. kind for only 58c.

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Underwear and Hosiery

Men's Hose 5c. Men's Heavy Hose, 3 Pairs 25c. Men's Fine Black Hose 15c. Men's 75c Natural Wool Underwear 50c. Men's \$1.00 Natural Wool Underwear 75c. Ladies' Fine Fleeced Underwear 21c. Misses' Fine Natural Wool Underwear 50c. Misses' Black Hose 5c. Children's Fine 25c Hose for 17c.

China and Glassware

Prices will give the balance of the story:

COVERED BUTTERDISH

—French china, with gold and color decorations; value 24c; while they last 10c.

OLIVE DISHES—French china, decorated, size about 4 inch square; value 10c; are now 5c.

CHINA SPOON HOLDER—Good size and neatly decorated; value 10c; now 10c.

BERRY DISHES—9 inch size, newest designs, with ground bottoms, worth more, but they're 10c.

SYRUP DRIPS—4 styles, all have spring top, nickel plated; was 19c, now 10c.

CUSTARD BOWL—Strawberry design, pressed glass, with heavy gold decoration, value \$2.00; now \$1.24.

TOILET SET—6 pieces print decoration, in 3 colors, worth \$1.75, now \$1.39.

DECORATED PITCHERS—Broken toilet sets that are worth \$1.00; they're an odd lot; must go 49c.

COVERED VEGETABLE DISHES—With double gold band decorations, worth 50c, now 24c.

THE GREAT 4c. STORE

310 Lackawanna Ave. J. H. LADWIG, Prop.

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February 15, 1898.

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128 Washington Avenue, Successor to W. A. Beemer & Son.

Regular meals, 25 cents; 5 meal tickets, \$1.00; 12 meal tickets, \$1.00. Breakfast, 6 to 8:30 a. m.; Dinner, 11:30 to 2 p. m.; Supper, 5 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. Menu of dinner served this day:

Pure of Bean Prime Ribs of Roast Beef Roast Lamb with Mint Sauce Hericane of Lamb Entrée, Farina Cake with Vanilla Sauce White Potatoes Stewed Tomatoes Carrots Peas Lima Beans Apple Pie Raisin Pie Coconut Pie Custard Pie Lemon Jelly Pudding Bananas Apples French Drip Coffee Tea Cocoa Milk Quick Lunch at All Times Open All Night. Never Closed.

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